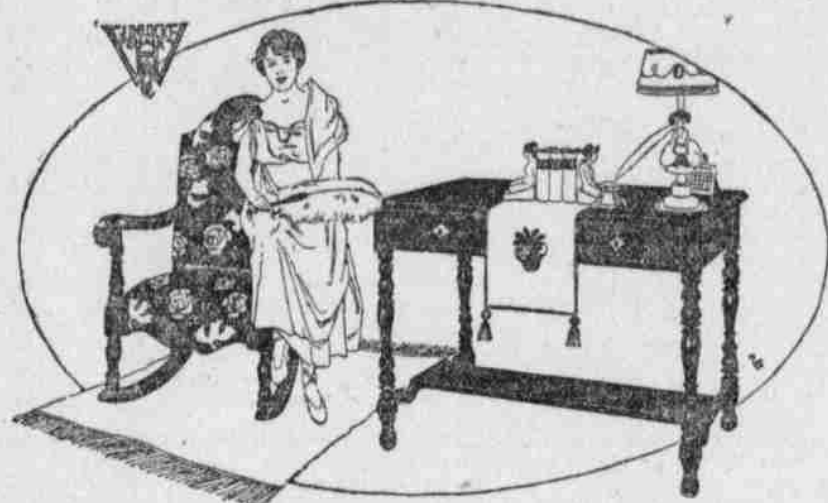


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### TALK OF THE TOWN

Montreal melons arrived this morning at Barre Fruit Co.

Watch this paper for our opening. New location. Lamorey Clothing Co.

Rummage sale, Presbyterian church, Saturday afternoon, Sept. 21, 2 to 5. Bargains—adv.

Dr. Cyril W. Rogers of the Baltimore College of Dental Surgery is the guest of Dr. Edwin Heninger.

Atty. David Porter has returned to his home in St. Johnsbury, after passing a few days in Barre on business.

The auction sale of city property at city farm Saturday afternoon, Sept. 21, will be held at 2 o'clock—adv.

Interesting to all—Read auction sale of Dodge property, page 7. Sale Monday, Sept. 23. O. H. Hale, auctioneer.

E. A. Williams of Washington street has received word of the safe arrival overseas of his son, Lieut. Earl Williams.

Attaches at the Central Vermont station breathed easier this morning when a carload of coal for the station basement appeared in the freight yard offing.

Miss Margaret Johnston of Blackwell street has resumed her duties in the office of the Granite Manufacturers' association, after a vacation of a week.

The amusement committee of I. O. O. L., M. U., is requested to meet at the home of Miss Josephine M. Rizzi, 1 Co. moli street, Friday evening at 7 o'clock.

Miss Katharine Langley, who has been passing the summer at her home in Edgewood, returned to Wellesley, Mass., today to resume her studies at Wellesley college.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Smith of West street have returned to the city from Old Orchard, Me., having closed for the season the Granite City house at the beach.

Will Dunham of Orange died at the Mary Fletcher hospital in Burlington last night. The funeral will be held Saturday at 1:30 p. m. in the church at Orange.

Judge F. J. Martin of Richardson street has resumed his duties in probate court, after having passed a few days in Boston, where he attended a Masonic gathering.

Dr. George Young has returned to his home in Skowhegan, Me., after passing a few days in Barre. Mrs. Young and daughter, who accompanied him, are remaining for a more extended visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton L. Julian have returned to their home in St. Johnsbury, after passing a few days with Barre friends. Later they are to go to Portland, Me., for a visit with relatives.

Vernon Lougee, who has been receiving military training at Plattsburg, N. Y., returned to Barre yesterday. Mr. Lougee expects to take a military course in one of the Vermont colleges this year.

Mrs. Harry Dingwall of South Main street has returned from Chelsea, where she has been to see her daughter, Florence, who is employed as a stenographer at the courthouse for Sprague & Darling.

Paul Nisini, who is home from his work near Northampton, Mass., while recuperating from a serious facial injury, went to Waterbury this morning to pass the remainder of the week with his sister.

Pending the arrival of material, work on the new bridge near Blackwell street is suspended, although the condition of the structure makes it necessary for traffic to detour on North Seminary street.

Dance in armory hall, Montpelier, Friday evening after last band concert of this season. Chaffield's orchestra, eight pieces. Gentlemen, 50c, including war tax, ladies free. If no band concert, dancing begins at 8:30.

Private Henry Drummond, who has been passing a furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Drummond of North Main street, returned yesterday to Camp Devens, where he is attached to the Depot brigade.

Lieut. Donald Winifred Smith arrived in the city yesterday forenoon from Camp Jackson, S. C., where he is at present stationed, to spend a furlough of 10 days at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Smith of Perry street.

A sizeable delegation from Ruth chapter left this afternoon for Waterbury, where the annual meeting of the fourth district, O. E. S., is to be held in the lodge room of the Elks club this evening. A banquet is to precede the evening session.

The W. C. T. U. will hold its monthly business meeting with Mrs. Shield, Elm street, Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Members come prepared to sew and also to elect a delegate to the state convention. In the evening a corn roast will be held, members and friends invited. Bring corn and butter and meet at the home of Mr. Bradley on Camp street Friday evening.

Mrs. Russell B. Allen, who has been passing a fortnight at her home in Berlin and with friends in Barre, having been called to Vermont by the illness of her brother-in-law, Earl Hayden, returned this morning to Washington, D. C., where she is governed in a government office. The condition of Mr. Hayden, who recently submitted to a serious surgical operation, is improving, after a slight relapse.

Local Odd Fellows are interested in a report from the convention of the sovereign grand lodge, which recently adjourned in St. Louis, Mo., where Henry V. Best of Amsterdam, N. Y., who was the principal speaker at the state gathering of Odd Fellows in Barre last May, was elected grand sire, the highest office of the organization. The report states that a service flag containing 100,724 stars has been raised in the convention hall at St. Louis.

The sewing room of the Red Cross is open every Monday, Wednesday and Friday afternoon and just now there is especial need for more workers, as trench slippers, delayed in transit from former quotas, are at hand, 100 of them, which the workers are trying to clear up before the next quota arrives, which will be soon. These slippers are simple to make and may be taken for home work. Find your way to the workroom to-morrow and on the other days the room is open, there to assist the others, or take some of the slippers for pick-up work at home.

Chief C. B. Gladding and E. M. Tobin, first assistant engineer of the fire department, have returned from Winooski, where they attended the annual meeting of the Vermont State Firemen's association. The Barre chief was one of the speakers at a banquet after the business meeting and in the course of his remarks he touched on the difficulty of maintaining running teams in the different fire departments of the state. He urged systematic discipline as one of the essentials if a good team is to be maintained. At the business session, Mr. Gladding was elected chairman of the executive committee, and Mr. Tobin was elected a member of the topic committee. Nearly all of the larger fire departments in the state were represented at the meeting.

### Notice.

Special meeting of lumpers, boxers and derriemen will be held in rooms in Seampin block Friday evening, Sept. 20, at 7:30 o'clock, to place in nomination someone to serve as U. P. president. A full attendance is requested. Per order of president, L. O'Kelly, Cor. Sec.

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Our Dress Section has much to offer in models to suit almost any type of wearer. Frocks of shimmering Satin, Serge, Jersey, Velour, Taffeta and Poplin—Silk Fringe Braids and Wool Embroidery adorn them with much individuality. Prices are much more reasonable than you would expect, produced as they have been under such strenuous circumstances.

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## The Daylight Store

### TALK OF THE TOWN

In response to an inquiry as to the safety of his nephew, Ernest Rennie, an engineer on the ill-fated steamer Missanabie, which was torpedoed in European waters, William Duff of this city received the following information from the office of the Canadian Pacific Ocean Services at Montreal: "I would state that his name is not among those lost. If he was on the ship on the way out, he is therefore safe."

Three more intoxication respondents strayed into the police enclosure over night, thereby increasing to 18 the record-breaking number of arrests made for intoxication since Monday. Robert P. Emery of Bethel was arraigned before Magistrate H. W. Scott in municipal court and his plea of guilty resulted in a fine of \$5 and costs, which he paid. Arthur H. Weeks of Westbury and Charles Peocore of Northfield, listed for second offenses, each acknowledged his mistake and both expect to pay fines of \$15 and costs.

Millinery sale: As I have just a few days to close out my entire millinery, will sell everything at cost and many things at a great sacrifice. Velvets in all colors at \$1 a yard; dowers, 50c and 50c; buckram frames that were 50c and 75c for 25c and 35c; silk ribbons and velvet ribbons at cost. Workroom supply, thread, needles, wires, bandeau that were 15c and 25c for 10c and 12c. A few velvet hats at less than cost. Come in early and get first choice, as this is a bargain and everything must be sold. Mrs. Eddie Shallow, formerly Stella Laviolette, 94 North Main street.

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### MUST BE MORE EXPLICIT.

Austria Cannot Submit the Old Subterfuges.

Rome, Wednesday, Sept. 18.—In a long article, which is taken as reflecting the views of Vatican officials, if not the pope himself, the Corriere d'Italia, the semi-official organ of the Vatican, declares Austria should be more explicit in her declarations.

"The old subterfuges that the note undoubtedly carries shows the desperate need of peace," the article says. "There is no need for secret conference when President Wilson and others already have set forth the allied conditions."

There is no doubt that the note was inspired by Berlin. With the canon of Hindenburg unsuccessful we will now see a return to the subtleties of diplomacy. The note is equivalent to a confession of military weakness. It is a sign that the fatal hour has begun for them when they must submit to the allies' peace.

"If in the year of 1918 they offered peace, now they ask it," the article continues. "But in what spirit do they ask peace?"

### TURKS TAKE BAKU.

In Defiance of the Brest-Litovsk Treaty, It Is Said.

Paris, Sept. 19, (Wednesday).—Turkish troops have taken Baku, according to a Basel dispatch quoting a telegram from Constantinople under date of Sept. 17. It is pointed out by the Temps that the treaty of Brest-Litovsk left Baku to the Russians, but that this does not prevent the Turks from continuing their advance.

This report from Constantinople would seem to indicate the British have suffered a reverse in the Baku region. It was reported on Aug. 16 that British forces had entered Baku, having reached that city from their base by way of Persia. No fighting in the Baku region has been reported recently.

### SERBIANS SOLD AS SLAVES.

Were Bound for a Period of Years By Central Powers.

Paris, Wednesday, Sept. 18.—The Serbian government is in possession of documents proving beyond possible question that thousands of Serbian prisoners have been sold as slaves for a specified period to Turkey by Bulgaria, Austria-Hungary and Germany, according to a Balkan agency dispatch from Corfu.

The prisoners, it is stated, were delivered to contractors, who are engaged in work in Asia minor and Anatolia. It is said they were subjected to terrible treatment and that thousands have died from typhus, cholera and hunger.

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EASTERN HALIBUT, per lb. ....	45c
WESTERN HALIBUT, per lb. ....	40c
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FLOUNDERS, per lb. ....	12c
STEAK COD, whole fish, per lb. ....	18c
STEAK COD, boned, per lb. ....	23c
SHORE HADDOCK, per lb. ....	18c to 23c
SEA TROUT, per lb. ....	20c
HADDIES—You know our quality, per lb. ....	20c
SALMON, per lb. ....	45c

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LOBSTERS, Alive or Boiled, per lb. ....	50c
CLAMS FOR STEAMING, per ½ peck ....	38c
OYSTERS IN SHELL, per dozen ....	25c
OYSTERS, ALL SIZES, per pint ....	38c
CLAMS FOR CHOWDER, per pint ....	25c

### From Our Bargain Counter—Cash and Carry

Lemon Extract, 2-oz. size, per bottle ....	10c
Vanilla Extract, 2-oz. size, per bottle ....	10c
Lemon Extract, 4-oz. size, per bottle ....	18c
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Quart bottle of Ammonia, per bottle ....	15c
Cinnamon, Ginger, Cloves or Nutmeg, each ....	10c
Peanut Butter, small, 10c; large, 28c size ....	23c
Baking Powder, 2 dishes free, pound size ....	25c

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